

**CPC****COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION****H05H**

**PLASMA TECHNIQUE** (fusion reactors G21B; ion-beam tubes [H01J 27/00](#); magnetohydrodynamic generators [H02K 44/08](#); producing X-rays involving plasma generation [H05G 2/00](#)); **PRODUCTION OF ACCELERATED ELECTRICALLY-CHARGED PARTICLES OR OF NEUTRONS** (obtaining neutrons from radioactive sources G21, e.g. G21B, G21C, G21G); **PRODUCTION OR ACCELERATION OF NEUTRAL MOLECULAR OR ATOMIC BEAMS** (atomic clocks [G04F 5/14](#); devices using stimulated emission H01S; frequency regulation by comparison with a reference frequency determined by energy levels of molecules, atoms, or subatomic particles [H03L 7/26](#))

**H05H 1/00****Generating plasma; Handling plasma**

- H05H 1/0006 . {Investigating plasma, e.g. degree of ionisation (electron temperature)}
- H05H 1/0012 .. {by using radiation}
- H05H 1/0018 ... {Details}
- H05H 1/0025 ... {by using photoelectric means ([H05H 1/0031](#) to [H05H 1/0043](#) take precedence)}
- H05H 1/0031 ... {by interferometry}
- H05H 1/0037 ... {by spectrometry (see [G01N 3/00](#))}
- H05H 1/0043 ... {by using infra-red or ultra-violet radiation}
- H05H 1/005 ... {by using X-rays or alpha rays (see [G01N 23/00](#))}
- H05H 1/0056 ... {by using neutrons (see [G01N 23/00](#))}
- H05H 1/0062 ... {by using microwaves (see [G01N 23/34](#))}
- H05H 1/0068 .. {by thermal means (see [G01N 25/00](#))}
- H05H 1/0075 ... {Langmuir probes}
- H05H 1/0081 .. {by electric means (see [G01N 27/00](#), [G01R](#))}
- H05H 1/0087 .. {by magnetic means (see [G01N 27/00](#), [G01R](#))}
- H05H 1/0093 .. {by acoustic, e.g. ultrasonic means (see [G01N 29/02](#))}
  
- H05H 1/02 . Arrangements for confining plasma by electric or magnetic fields; Arrangements for heating plasma ({[G21B 1/00](#) takes precedence;} electron optics H01J)
- H05H 1/03 .. using electrostatic fields
- H05H 1/04 .. using magnetic fields substantially generated by the discharge in the plasma
- H05H 1/06 ... longitudinal pinch devices
- H05H 1/08 ... Theta pinch devices {e.g. SCYLLA}
- H05H 1/10 .. using externally-applied magnetic field only {e.g. Q-machines, Yin-Yang, base-ball}
- H05H 1/105 ... {using magnetic pumping}
- H05H 1/11 ... using cusp configuration ([H05H 1/14](#) takes precedence)
- H05H 1/12 ... wherein the containment vessel forms a closed or nearly closed loop ({[G21B 1/05](#) takes precedence})
- H05H 1/14 ... wherein the containment vessel is straight and has magnetic mirrors {electron

- mirrors **G21K 1/08B**
- H05H 1/16 . . . using externally-applied electric and magnetic field
- H05H 1/18 . . . wherein the field oscillate at very high frequency, e.g. in the microwave range {e.g. using cyclotron resonance}
- H05H 1/20 . . . Ohmic heating
- H05H 1/22 . . . for injection heating {(G21B 1/15 takes precedence)}
- H05H 1/24 . . Generating plasma {(gas-filled discharge reactors H01J 37/32; nuclear fusion reactors G21B 1/00; ohmic heating H05H 1/20; injection heating H05H 1/22)}
- H05H 1/2406 . . { Dielectric barrier discharges}
- H05H 1/2475 . . { Acoustic pressure discharge}
- H05H 1/26 . . Plasma torches {(metal working with constricted arc B23K 10/00, H05H 10/02; metal spraying B05B 7/18, B05B 7/20)}
- H05H 1/28 . . . Cooling arrangements
- H05H 1/30 . . . using applied electromagnetic fields, e.g. high frequency or microwave energy (H05H 1/28 takes precedence)
- H05H 1/32 . . . using an arc (H05H 1/28 takes precedence)
- H05H 1/34 . . . . Details, e.g. electrodes, nozzles {cf. B23K 9/24}
- H05H 1/3405 . . . . {Arc stabilising or constricting arrangements, e.g. by an additional gas flow (by externally applied magnetic field H05H 1/40; by using powders or liquids H05H 1/42; using coaxial protecting fluid H05H 1/341)}
- H05H 1/341 . . . . {using coaxial protecting fluid (arc stabilising or constricting arrangements H05H 1/3405; introducing materials into the plasma H05H 1/42)}
- H05H 1/36 . . . . Circuit arrangements (H05H 1/38 , H05H 1/40 take precedence)
- H05H 1/38 . . . . Guiding or centering of electrodes
- H05H 1/40 . . . . using applied magnetic fields, e.g. for focusing or rotating the arc {cf. B23K 9/08, B23K 9/06C5}
- H05H 1/42 . . . . with provision for introducing materials into the plasma, e.g. powder, liquid (electrostatic spraying, spraying apparatus with means for charging the spray electrically B05B 5/00){cf. B23K 9/324, B05B 7/22; arc stabilising or constricting arrangements H05H 1/3405; coaxial protecting fluids H05H 1/341}
- H05H 1/44 . . . . using more than one torch
- H05H 1/46 . . . using applied electromagnetic fields, e.g. high frequency or microwave energy (H05H 1/26 takes precedence)
- H05H 1/48 . . . using an arc (H05H 1/26 takes precedence)
- H05H 1/50 . . . and using applied magnetic fields, e.g. for focusing or rotating the arc
- H05H 1/52 . . . using exploding wires or spark gaps (H05H 1/26 takes precedence; spark gaps in general H01T)
- H05H 1/54 . . Plasma accelerators
- H05H 3/00** **Production or acceleration of neutral particle beams, e.g. molecular or atomic beams**
- H05H 3/02 . . Molecular or atomic beam generation {(charge exchange devices G21K 1/14; polarising devices G21K 1/16; using resonance or molecular beams for analysing or

investigating materials [G01N 24/002](#); atomic clock [G04F 5/14](#); beam masers [H01S 1/06](#)}}

H05H 3/04 . Acceleration by electromagnetic wave pressure

H05H 3/06 . Generating neutron beams (targets for producing nuclear reactions [H05H 6/00](#); neutron sources [G21G 4/02](#))

**H05H 5/00** **Direct voltage accelerators; Accelerators using single pulses** ([H05H 3/06](#) takes precedence)

H05H 5/02 . Details (targets for producing nuclear reactions [H05H 6/00](#))

H05H 5/03 . . Accelerating tubes (vessels or containers of electric discharge tubes with improved potential distribution over surface of vessel [H01J 5/06](#); shields of X-ray tubes associated with vessels or containers [H01J 35/16](#))

H05H 5/04 . { energised by electrostatic generators}

H05H 5/042 . . { of the van de Graaf type}

H05H 5/045 . . { High voltage cascades, e.g. Greinacher cascade}

H05H 5/047 . . { Pulsed generators}

H05H 5/06 . { Multistage accelerators}

H05H 5/063 . . { Tandems}

H05H 5/066 . . { Onion-like structures}

H05H 5/08 . Particle accelerators using step-up transformers, e.g. resonance transformers

**H05H 6/00** **Targets for producing nuclear reactions** (supports for targets or objects to be irradiated [G21K 5/08](#)){preparation of tritium [C01B 4/00](#)}; {targets, e.g. pellets for fusion reactions by laser or charged particles beam injection [H05H 1/22](#)}

H05H 6/005 . {Polarised targets (polarising devices, e.g. for obtaining a polarised ion beam [G21K 1/16](#))}

**H05H 7/00** **Details of devices of the types covered by groups [H05H 9/00](#), [H05H 11/00](#), [H05H 13/00](#)**

H05H 7/001 . { Arrangements for beam delivery or irradiation (irradiation systems per se [G21K 5/00](#))}

H05H 7/02 . Circuits or systems for supplying or feeding radio-frequency energy (radio-frequency generators [H03B](#))

H05H 7/04 . Magnet systems {e.g. undulators, wigglers (free-electron laser [H01S 3/0903](#))}; Energisation thereof

H05H 7/06 . Two-beam arrangements; Multi-beam arrangements {storage rings}; Electron rings

H05H 7/08 . Arrangements for injecting particles into orbits

- H05H 7/10 . Arrangements for ejecting particles from orbits
- H05H 7/12 . Arrangements for varying final energy of beam
- H05H 7/14 . Vacuum chambers ([H05H 5/03](#) takes precedence)
- H05H 7/16 . . of the waveguide type
- H05H 7/18 . . Cavities; Resonators {(travelling-wave tubes [H01J 23/18](#); hyperfrequency cavities in general [H01P 7/04](#), [H01P 7/06](#))}
- H05H 7/20 . . . with superconductive walls
- H05H 7/22 . Details of linear accelerators, e.g. drift tubes ([H05H 7/02](#) to [H05H 7/20](#) take precedence)
  
- H05H 9/00            Linear accelerators**
- H05H 9/005 . { Dielectric wall accelerators}
- H05H 9/02 . Travelling-wave linear accelerators {travelling-wave tubes [H01J 25/34](#)}
- H05H 9/04 . Standing-wave linear accelerators
- H05H 9/041 . . { Hadron LINACS}
- H05H 9/042 . . . { Drift tube LINACS}
- H05H 9/044 . . . { Coupling cavity LINACS, e.g. side coupled}
- H05H 9/045 . . . { Radio frequency quadrupoles}
- H05H 9/047 . . . { Hybrid systems}
- H05H 9/048 . . { Lepton LINACS}
  
- H05H 11/00        Magnetic induction accelerators, e.g. betatrons**
- H05H 11/02 . Air-cored betatrons
- H05H 11/04 . Biased betatrons
  
- H05H 13/00        Magnetic resonance accelerators; Cyclotrons {(strophotrons, turbine tubes [H01J 25/62](#))}**
- H05H 13/005 . { Cyclotrons}
- H05H 13/02 . Synchrocyclotrons, i.e. frequency modulated cyclotrons
- H05H 13/04 . Synchrotrons
- H05H 13/06 . Air-cored magnetic resonance accelerators
- H05H 13/08 . Alternating-gradient magnetic resonance accelerators
- H05H 13/085 . . { Fixed-field alternating gradient accelerators [FFAG]}

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| H05H 13/10     | . Accelerators comprising one or more linear accelerating sections and bending magnets or the like to return the charged particles in a trajectory parallel to the first accelerating section, e.g. microtrons                |
| H05H 15/00     | <b>Methods or devices for acceleration of charged particles not otherwise provided for</b>  |
| H05H 2001/00   | <b>Generating plasma; Handling plasma</b>   |
| H05H 2001/24   | . Generating plasma {(gas-filled discharge reactors <a href="#">H01J 37/32</a> ; nuclear fusion reactors <a href="#">G21B 1/00</a> ; ohmic heating <a href="#">H05H 1/20</a> ; injection heating <a href="#">H05H 1/22</a> )} |
| H05H 2001/2406 | .. { Dielectric barrier discharges}   |
| H05H 2001/2412 | ... the dielectric being interposed between the electrodes  |
| H05H 2001/2418 | ... the electrodes being embedded in the dielectric   |
| H05H 2001/2425 | ... the electrodes being flush with the dielectric  |
| H05H 2001/2431 | ... Cylindrical electrodes  |
| H05H 2001/2437 | ... Multilayer systems  |
| H05H 2001/2443 | ... Flow through, i.e. the plasma fluid flowing in a dielectric tube  |
| H05H 2001/245  | .... Internal electrodes  |
| H05H 2001/2456 | .... External electrodes  |
| H05H 2001/2462 | .... Ring electrodes  |
| H05H 2001/2468 | .... Spiral electrodes  |
| H05H 2001/2475 | .. { Acoustic pressure discharge}   |
| H05H 2001/2481 | ... Piezoelectric actuators   |
| H05H 2001/2487 | ... Mechanical actuators  |
| H05H 2001/2493 | ... Horns   |
| H05H 2001/26   | .. Plasma torches {(metal working with constricted arc <a href="#">B23K 10/00</a> , <a href="#">H05H 10/02</a> ; metal spraying <a href="#">B05B 7/18</a> , <a href="#">B05B 7/20</a> )}                                      |
| H05H 2001/32   | ... using an arc ( <a href="#">H05H 1/28</a> takes precedence)  |
| H05H 2001/34   | .... Details, e.g. electrodes, nozzles {cf. <a href="#">B23K 9/24</a> }   |
| H05H 2001/3415 | ..... indexing scheme associated with 1/34  |
| H05H 2001/3421 | ..... transferred arc mode  |
| H05H 2001/3426 | ..... pilot arc   |
| H05H 2001/3431 | ..... coaxial cylindrical electrodes  |
| H05H 2001/3436 | ..... hollow cathode with internal coolant flow   |
| H05H 2001/3442 | ..... cathode with inserted tip   |
| H05H 2001/3447 | ..... rod-like cathode  |
| H05H 2001/3452 | ..... supplementary electrodes between cathode and anode, e.g. cascade  |
| H05H 2001/3457 | ..... nozzle protection devices   |
| H05H 2001/3463 | ..... oblique nozzle  |
| H05H 2001/3468 | ..... vortex generator  |

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| H05H 2001/3473      | ..... | safety means  |
| H05H 2001/3478      | ..... | geometrical details   |
| H05H 2001/3484      | ..... | convergent/divergent nozzle   |
| H05H 2001/3489      | ..... | contact starting  |
| H05H 2001/3494      | ..... | discharge parameter control   |
| H05H 2001/46        | ..    | using applied electromagnetic fields, e.g. high frequency or microwave energy<br>( <a href="#">H05H 1/26</a> takes precedence)  |
| H05H 2001/4607      | ...   | Microwave discharges  |
| H05H 2001/4615      | ....  | Surface waves   |
| H05H 2001/4622      | ....  | Waveguides  |
| H05H 2001/463       | ....  | Antennas or applicators   |
| H05H 2001/4637      | ....  | Cables  |
| H05H 2001/4645      | ...   | Radiofrequency discharges   |
| H05H 2001/4652      | ....  | Inductively coupled   |
| H05H 2001/466       | ..... | Electrodes  |
| H05H 2001/4667      | ..... | Coiled antennas   |
| H05H 2001/4675      | ....  | Capacitively coupled  |
| H05H 2001/4682      | ....  | Associated power generators, e. G. Circuits, matching networks  |
| H05H 2001/469       | ...   | Flow through, i.e the plasma fluid flowing in a non-dielectric vessel   |
| H05H 2001/4692      | ....  | dielectric barrier discharge ( <a href="#">H05H 1/2406</a> takes precedence)  |
| H05H 2001/4695      | ....  | Arc discharge   |
| H05H 2001/4697      | ....  | Glow discharge  |
| H05H 2001/48        | ..    | using an arc ( <a href="#">H05H 1/26</a> takes precedence)  |
| H05H 2001/481       | ...   | Corona discharges   |
| H05H 2001/483       | ....  | Pointed electrodes  |
| H05H 2001/485       | ....  | Cylindrical electrodes, e.g. Rotary drums electrodes  |
| H05H 2001/486       | ....  | Filamentary electrodes  |
| H05H 2001/488       | ....  | Segmented electrodes  |
| <b>H05H 2006/00</b> |       | <b>Targets for producing nuclear reactions</b> (supports for targets or objects to be irradiated <a href="#">G21K 5/08</a> ){preparation of tritium <a href="#">C01B 4/00</a> }; {targets, e.g. pellets for fusion reactions by laser or charged particles beam injection <a href="#">H05H 1/22</a> } |
| H05H 2006/002       | .     | Windows   |
| H05H 2006/007       | .     | Radiation protection arrangements , e.g. screens  |
| <b>H05H 2007/00</b> |       | <b>Details of devices of the types covered by groups <a href="#">H05H 9/00</a>, <a href="#">H05H 11/00</a>, <a href="#">H05H 13/00</a></b>  |
| H05H 2007/001       | .     | { Arrangements for beam delivery or irradiation (irradiation systems per se <a href="#">G21K 5/00</a> )}  |
| H05H 2007/002       | ..    | for modifying beam trajectory , e.g. gantries   |
| H05H 2007/004       | ..    | for modifying beam energy, e.g. spread out Bragg peak devices   |

- [H05H 2007/005](#) . . for modifying beam emittance , e.g. stochastic cooling devices, stripper foils
- [H05H 2007/007](#) . . for focusing the beam to irradiation target
- [H05H 2007/008](#) . . for measuring beam parameters
  
- [H05H 2007/02](#) . Circuits or systems for supplying or feeding radio-frequency energy ([radio-frequency generators H03B](#))
- [H05H 2007/022](#) . . Pulsed systems
- [H05H 2007/025](#) . . Radiofrequency systems
- [H05H 2007/027](#) . . Microwave systems
  
- [H05H 2007/04](#) . Magnet systems {e.g. [undulators](#), [wigglers](#) ([free-electron laser H01S 3/0903](#))}; Energisation thereof
- [H05H 2007/041](#) . . for beam bunching , e.g. undulators
- [H05H 2007/043](#) . . for beam focusing
- [H05H 2007/045](#) . . for beam bending
- [H05H 2007/046](#) . . for beam deflection
- [H05H 2007/048](#) . . for modifying beam trajectory , e.g. gantry systems
  
- [H05H 2007/06](#) . Two-beam arrangements; Multi-beam arrangements ([storage rings](#)); Electron rings
- [H05H 2007/065](#) . . Multi-beam merging , e.g. funneling
  
- [H05H 2007/08](#) . Arrangements for injecting particles into orbits
- [H05H 2007/081](#) . . Sources
- [H05H 2007/082](#) . . . Ion sources, e.g. ECR, duoplasmatron, PIG, laser sources
- [H05H 2007/084](#) . . . Electron sources
- [H05H 2007/085](#) . . by electrostatic means
- [H05H 2007/087](#) . . by magnetic means
- [H05H 2007/088](#) . . by mechanical means, e.g. stripping foils
  
- [H05H 2007/12](#) . Arrangements for varying final energy of beam
- [H05H 2007/122](#) . . by electromagnetic means , e.g. RF cavities
- [H05H 2007/125](#) . . by mechanical means , e.g. stripping foils
- [H05H 2007/127](#) . . by emittance variation , e.g. stochastic cooling
  
- [H05H 2007/22](#) . Details of linear accelerators, e.g. drift tubes ([H05H 7/02 to H05H 7/20 take precedence](#))
- [H05H 2007/222](#) . . drift tubes
- [H05H 2007/225](#) . . coupled cavities arrangements
- [H05H 2007/227](#) . . power coupling , e.g. coupling loops
  
- [H05H 2240/00](#) **Test**
  
- [H05H 2240/10](#) . at atmospheric pressure

H05H 2240/20 . Non-thermal plasma

## **H05H 2242/00 Auxiliary systems**

H05H 2242/10 . Cooling arrangements

H05H 2242/1005 . . Power supply other than for plasma torches

## **H05H 2245/00 test**

H05H 2245/104 . spiral electrodes

H05H 2245/12 . Applications

H05H 2245/121 . . treatment of exhaust gas, e.g. Ambient air, ozonizers

H05H 2245/1215 . . . Exhaust gas

H05H 2245/122 . . medical applications { e.g. plasma scalpels, blades, bistouri}

H05H 2245/1225 . . . Sterilization of objects

H05H 2245/123 . . surface treatments

H05H 2245/1235 . . . coating of large volume items

H05H 2245/124 . . production of nanostructures

H05H 2245/125 . . portable devices

## **H05H 2277/00 Applications**

H05H 2277/10 . Medical devices

H05H 2277/11 . . Radiotherapy

H05H 2277/113 . . . Diagnostic systems

H05H 2277/116 . . . Isotope production

H05H 2277/12 . Ion implantation

H05H 2277/13 . High energy applications , e.g. fusion

H05H 2277/14 . Portable devices

H05H 2277/1405 . . Detection systems